

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA	:	No. 4:16-CR-00311
	:	
v.	:	
	:	(Judge Brann)
DAMONTRAY TAYLOR,	:	
	:	
Defendant.	:	

ORDER

AND NOW, this 6th day of March 2018, the Court having received the Defendant's February 9, 2018 Request for Transcripts, ECF No. 60, and it appearing pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 753(f), that the Defendant has not shown that the suit or appeal is not frivolous and that the transcript is needed to decide the issue presented by the suit or appeal, *see Eckman v. Lancaster City*, 515 F. App'x 93, 94 (3d Cir. 2013) (per curiam) ("An indigent [litigant] is not entitled to a transcript at government expense without a showing of the need, merely to comb the record in the hope of discovering some flaw."), **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED** that:

1. Defendant's Request for Transcripts, ECF No. 60, is **DENIED**.

2. To the extent that the Defendant wishes to purchase transcripts of any hearings in the above-captioned criminal matter, he may contact the official court reporter at the following address to arrange appropriate payment:

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BY THE COURT:

s/ Matthew W. Brann
Matthew W. Brann
United States District Judge